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The claims were not amended in order to address issues of patentability and Applicant respectfully reserves all rights she may have under the Doctrine of Equivalents. Applicant furthermore reserves her right to reintroduce subject matter deleted herein at a later time during the prosecution of this application or continuing applications.

Respectfully submitted,



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**APPENDIX**

4. (Amended) A dielectric ceramic composite as claimed in claim 2 ~~or 3~~, characterized in that the average of the grain sizes of the said  $\text{SiO}_2$ ,  $\text{CuO}$  and  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  is no more than 30 nm.

5. (Amended) An electronic device comprising the dielectric ceramic composite according to ~~one of the~~ claims 1-4.